Inexpressible acts of sabotage in Czechoslovakia.

A vast campaign against reading Czechoslovak newspapers began on the anniversary of T.G.Masaryk's death last week at the instigation of the secret Czechoslovak National Revolutionary Committee by an appeal to the population not to buy or borrow, not to read at home or publicly any Czech or Slovak newspapers. The Committee which is operating by distributing leaflets and by a whispering campaign reminded the people of Czechoslovakia that the newspapers, which are controled by Germany, have long ceased to express Czechoslovak public opinion. The campaign is spreading rapidly and is to last until May 1942. Sunday and Monday papers printed much less than the usual amount of copies and a greater part of these was returned unsold.

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Another form of economic sabotage is developping in the Protectorate of Bohemia and Moravia. The population has been asked by the German authorities to save old paper and bones which were to be collected from house to house by the German youth. Since several weeks the Germans are finding nothing but paper and bone ashes in the dustbins.

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The secret Czechoslovak wireless station "Masaryk" announces that strikes have broken out owing to shortage of food in the

textile factories in the east of Bohemia and in Moravia. Members of the works committee were arrested by the Gestapo and threatened with death, but the strikes continue. In the town of Mlchod wifes of the striking workmen made a procession through the town carrying empty provision baskets in front of them.

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Czech workers of the Skoda arms factory in Pilsen painted a huge tortoise and the letter T on the factory wall. Hearing this Colonel Britten, chief of the T campaign in Great Britain, broadcasted a slogan to all European workers : " Work in the sign of the tortoise. Tortoise will win."

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